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Applicant : Blake Ming Qi Dong, et al.

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DISTRIBUTION OF VALUE BEARING ITEMS IN A PC POSTAGE SYSTEM

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Commissioner for Patents

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Enclosed is an amendment to the above-identified application.

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	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Paid For	Number Extra Claims	Small Entity Rate	Large Entity Rate	FEE
Total Claims Fee	39	*39	0	0 x \$25.00	0 x \$50.00	0
Independent Claims	4	** 4	0	0 x \$105.00	00 x \$210.00	0
Multiple Dependent Claims ***				\$185.00	\$370.00	0
TOTAL FILING FEE						0
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LIST INDEPENDENT CLAIMS: 1, 21, 33, 37						

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